## GENERAL NOTES

THE THICKNESS OF THE HOT-MIX ASPHALT MIXTURE SHOWN ON THE PLANS IS THE NOMINAL THICKNESS. DEVIATIONS FROM THE NOMINAL THICKNESS WILL BE PERMITTED WHEN SUCH DEVIATIONS OCCUR DUE TO IRREGULARITIES IN THE EXISTING SURFACE OR BASE ON WHICH THE HOT-MIX ASPHALT MIXTURE IS PLACED.

FACTORS USED FOR ESTIMATING PLAN QUANTITIES ARE AS FOLLOWS AND SHALL NOT BE USED FOR THE BASIS OF FINAL QUANTITIES.

ALL HOT-MIX ASPHALT
ALL AGGREGATE
HOT-MIX ASPHALT MATERIALS:
ON PAVEMENT
INTERMEDIATE LIFTS (FOG COAT)
ON AGGREGATE

0.09 GAL/SQ YD 0.04 GAL/SQ YD 0.32 GAL/SQ YD 0.0015 TON/SQ YD 1.5 TON/CU YD

2.016 TON/CU YD

2.05 TON/CU YD

AGGREGATE (PRIME COAT)
RIP RAP

UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER, RESURFACING SHALL
BE PLACED IN A SEQUENCE THAT WILL MINIMIZE THE TIME THE CENTERLINE
EDGE IS EXPOSED TO TRAFFIC. WHEN AT THE END OF A DAY'S OPERATION

THE EXPOSED CENTERLINE EDGE IS GREATER THAN 2,000 FT., THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE REQUIRED TO PAVE IN THE ADJACENT LANE ON THE FOLLOWING WORK DAY. PRIOR TO WINTER SHUT DOWN, RESURFACING ON ADJACENT LANES IS TO BE BROUGHT UP TO THE SAME ELEVATION.

THE QUANTITY OF SHORT TERM PAVEMENT MARKING SHOWN IN THE PLANS

IS BASED ON ONE APPLICATION EACH FOR THE PRIME COAT, BINDER COURSE,

AND SURFACE COURSE.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL STAMP STATIONING IN THE HOT-MIX ASPHALT SURFACE AT 300 FT. INTERVALS ALTERNATING SIDES ON THE OUTSIDE EDGE OF PAVEMENT AND AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. THE STATION SYMBOL STAMPS USED SHALL BE FURNISHED BY THE CONTRACTOR, THEY

SHALL BE 5 1/2 IN. TALL OF A DESIGN APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER, AND

SHALL REMAIN THE PROPERTY OF THE CONTRACTOR.

GRADING SHALL BE DONE BY HAND AROUND LIGHT POLES, UTILITY POLES, SIGN POSTS, SHRUBS, TREES OR OTHER NATURAL OR MAN-MADE OBJECTS WHERE SHALLOW FILLS OR CUTS ARE ADJACENT TO THE ITEMS. IT IS THE INTENT THAT THE LIMITS OF CONSTRUCTION BE SUCH AS TO PRESERVE IN THE ORIGINAL STATE AS MUCH AREA OF TEMPORARY EASEMENTS AS POSSIBLE. THE DECISION AS TO ITEMS TO REMAIN IN PLACE SHALL BE DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. THIS WORK WILL NOT BE PAID FOR SEPARATELY, BUT SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE CONTRACT UNIT PRICE PER CUBIC YARD FOR EARTH EXCAVATION, AND NO ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION WILL BE ALLOWED.

IF SO DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER, DITCHES ADJACENT TO EMBANKMENTS SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED PRIOR TO STARTING THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE EMBANKMENT FILL.

SEEDING SHALL BE DONE ON ALL AREAS THAT ARE DISTURBED BY CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. SEEDING SHALL BE PAID FOR ONLY WITHIN THE PROPOSED RIGHT-OF-WAY OR EASEMENT LIMITS. ALL AREAS DISTURBED BY THE CONTRACTOR OUTSIDE THE PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION LIMITS SHALL BE SEEDED. AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER, AT THE CONTRACTOR'S EXPENSE.

TREES SHALL BE PRESERVED THROUGHOUT THIS SECTION AS SHOWN ON THE PLANS AND AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. GENERALLY, TREES OUTSIDE THE CLEAR ZONE, AND WHICH DO NOT INTERFERE WITH CONSTRUCTION, SHALL NOT BE DISTURBED.

PROTECTIVE COAT SHALL BE APPLIED TO ALL GUTTER FLAGS AS NEEDED ACCORDING TO THE SEASONAL REQUIREMENTS OF ARTICLE 420.18.

ATTAINMENT OF PROPER CROWN OR SUPERELEVATION SHALL BE FULLY ACCOMPLISHED WITH THE HOT-MIX ASPHALT BINDER COURSE.

WHEN WIDENING FLEXIBLE BASE PAVEMENT, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL TRIM EXISTING SURFACE AND BASE TO A FIRM, NEAR VERTICAL PLANE BEFORE CONSTRUCTING THE WIDENING. A QUANTITY FOR SAWCUTS (WIDENING) IS INCLUDED IN THE PLANS TO COMPLETE THIS WORK.

THE MINIMUM VERTICAL CLEARANCE FOR PERMANENT SIGNS PLACED ON BACKSLOPES SHALL BE 3 FT. MEASURED FROM A POINT DIRECTLY BENEATH THE FAR EDGE OF THE SIGN.

EXISTING ROAD SIGNS THAT CONFLICT WITH STAGED CONSTRUCTION OR INTERFERE WITH CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS SHALL BE COVERED OR REMOVED AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. THIS WORK WILL NOT BE PAID FOR BUT SHALL BE CONSIDERED INCIDENTAL TO THE CONTRACT.

PRIOR TO PLACEMENT OF THE FINAL PAVEMENT MARKINGS THE RESIDENT ENGINEER SHOULD CONTACT THE BUREAU OF OPERATIONS AND ARRANGE FOR INSPECTION AND APPROVAL OF THE PAVEMENT MARKING LAYOUT.

WHERE SECTION OR SUB-SECTION MARKERS ARE ENCOUNTERED, THE ENGINEER SHALL BE NOTIFIED BEFORE SUCH MONUMENTS ARE REMOVED. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROTECT AND CAREFULLY PRESERVE ALL PROPERTY MARKERS AND MONUMENTS UNTIL THE DEPARTMENT AND AUTHORIZED AGENT OR LAND SURVEYOR HAS WITNESSED OR OTHERWISE REFERENCED THEIR LOCATION.

EXISTING UNDERGROUND AND ABOVE-GRADE FACILITIES, STRUCTURES,
AND UTILITIES HAVE BEEN PLOTTED ON THESE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS
BASED UPON THE INFORMATION AND SURVEYS AVAILABLE AT THE TIME OF
DRAWING PREPARATION. THE LOCATION OF THESE FEATURES MUST,
THEREFORE, BE CONSIDERED APPROXIMATE ONLY. IN ADDITION, THERE
MAY BE OTHER FACILITIES, STRUCTURES, AND UTILITIES WHICH DID NOT EXIST
(OR THE EXISTENCE OF WHICH WAS NOT KNOWN) AT THE TIME OF DRAWING
PREPARATION. IT IS THE SOLE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CONTRACTOR(S)
TO HAVE ALL EXISTING FACILITIES, STRUCTURES, AND UTILITIES LOCATED
IN THE FIELD PRIOR TO ANY EXCAVATION OR CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY; AND
TO PROTECT ALL SUCH EXISTING FEATURES (EXCEPT THOSE SPECIFICALLY
NOTED FOR REMOVAL OR DEMOLITION) DURING CONSTRUCTION.

THE ALGEBRAIC DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE PAVEMENT AND SHOULDER SLOPES SHALL NOT EXCEED 8% THE SHOULDER ON THE OUTSIDE OF SUPERELEVATED CURVES SHALL BE FLATTENED ACCORDINGLY.

ON ALL SUPERELEVATED CURVES, THE PROPOSED BASE COURSE WIDENING SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED WITH A SLOPE CONFORMING TO THE RATE OF SUPERELEVATION OF THE EXISTING PAVEMENT.

ALL CULVERT EXTENSIONS SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH METHOD II AS SPECIFIED IN ARTICLE 542.05 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. ENTIRE LENGTH OF THE EXISTING CULVERT SHALL BE CLEANED OF ALL EARTH AND DEBRIS BY THE CONTRACTOR TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE ENGINEER. THE COST OF THIS WORK SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE COST OF THE EXTENSION.

ANY MIXING OR PLACEMENT OF HOT-MIX ASPHALT MIXTURES OCCURING PRIOR TO THE TEST STRIP EVALUATION IS AT THE CONTRACTOR'S OWN RISK.

FOR STABILIZATION, ALL TYPE III BARRICADES SHALL REQUIRE A MINIMUM OF FOUR-SAND BAGS PER BARRICADE.

FORMS FOR CONCRETE GUTTER SHALL BE OF METAL ONLY, EXCEPT THAT WOOD FORMS MAY BE USED ON SHORT RADIUS CURVES.

IN ADDITION TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF ARTICLE 107.16 THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROTECT THE SURFACE OF ALL BRIDGE DECKS AND BRIDGE APPROACH PAVEMENTS IN A MANNER SATISFACTORY TO THE ENGINEER BEFORE ANY EQUIPMENT IS ALLOWED TO CROSS THE STRUCTURE. PROTECTION SHALL BE PROVIDED FOR ALL EQUIPMENT AS DEFINED IN ARTICLE 101.17 REGARDLESS IF TRACK MOUNTED OR WHEELED.

RECLAIMED ASPHALT PAVEMENT (RAP) WILL NOT BE ALLOWED FOR USE AS AGGREGATE IN AGGREGATE SHOULDERS. TYPE B.

ADDITIONAL WIDTH OF GUTTER FLAG, AT LOCATIONS INDICATED ON THE PLANS SHALL BE POURED MONOLITHICALLY WITH THE NORMAL GUTTER FLAG AND WILL NOT BE MEASURED NOR PAID FOR SEPARATELY.

ALL BUILDINGS, WHETHER SHOWN ON THE PLANS OR NOT, WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE RIGHT OF WAY SHALL BE REMOVED AND DISPOSED OF ACCORDING TO SECTION 201.

THE REMOVAL OF EXISTING ENTRANCE PIPE CULVERTS ENCASED IN CONCRETE WILL BE CONSIDERED INCLUDED IN THE COST OF OTHER ITEMS OF CONSTRUCTION IF ONLY THE ENDS OF THE CULVERT (2 FT. OR LESS) ARE ENCASED. IF MORE THAN (2 FT.) AT THE ENDS OF THE CULVERT ARE ENCASED IN CONCRETE, THE REMOVAL WILL BE PAID FOR ACCORDING TO ARTICLE 109.04.

CONNECTING OF NEW OR EXISTING STORM SEWER TO NEW OR EXISTING INLETS, MANHOLES, OR CULVERTS SHALL BE MADE IN A MANNER WHICH RESULTS IN A NEAT AND WATERTIGHT JOINT. WHEN PLACED THROUGH THE WALL OF AN INLET, MANHOLE, OR CULVERT, STORM SEWER PIPE SHALL BE PLACED OR CUT FLUSH WITH THE FACE OF THE WALL AND DRESSED WITH MORTAR TO PROVIDE A SMOOTH ROUNDED OR BEVELED EDGE. THIS WORK WILL NOT BE PAID FOR SEPERATELY, BUT SHALL BE CONSIDERED AS INCLUDED IN THE CONTRACT UNIT PRICES OF THE STORM SEWERS OR STRUCTURES INVOLVED.

EXISTING DRIVEWAYS WILL BE SAWCUT TO OBTAIN A NEAT EDGE FOR REMOVAL AND REPLACEMENT THE COST OF THE SAWCUT IS INCLUDED IN THE COST OF DRIVEWAY PAVEMENT REMOVAL.

THE TRANSIT LINE SHOWN ON THE PLAN & PROFILE SHEETS AND CROSS SECTION SHEETS MATCHES THE TRANSIT LINE STAKED IN THE FIELD. THERE WILL BE SOME VARIATION BETWEEN A CENTERLINE DETERMINED BY SPLITTING THE PAVEMENT AND THE STAKED TRANSIT LINE. USE THE STAKED TRANSIT LINE FOR DETERMINING OFFSETS FOR SLOPE STAKING AND CULVERT EXTENSIONS. SPLIT THE PAVEMENT FOR PAVEMENT MARKINGS AND WIDENING.

QUANTITY FOR BITUMINOUS MATERIALS (PRIME COAT) HAS BEEN INCLUDED TO PRIME ONLY EXISTING PAVEMENT SURFACES AND AGGREGATE AND HOT-MIX ASPHALT ENTRANCES.

A TEST STRIP WILL BE REQUIRED FOR EACH BINDER OR SURFACE MIX QUANTITY EXCEEDING 3,000 TON.

MAXIMUM LIFT THICKNESS FOR PLACING HMA IS 5 INCHES.

## STRUCTURES WITHIN THE PROJECT LIMITS:

STRUCTURE	OPERATING	INVENTORY		
NO.	RATING	RATING	POSTING	MTD
044-0025	42.2	25.6	NONE	LOADED
044-0027	44.4	26.7	NONE	LOADED
044-0054	36.1	21.7	NONE	EMPTY
044-7072			NONE	EMPTY
076-0021	43.1	25.8	NONE	LOADED

THE QUANTITY FOR EARTH EXCAVATION (WIDENING) IS INCLUDED IN THE QUANTITIES FOR EARTH EXCAVATION.